

Old Croton Aqueduct,
Entrance Entabature
South bank of the New Croton Reservoir
Yorktown Heights Vicinity
Westchester County
New York

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Date: Circa 1842

Location: South bank of the New Croton Reservoir, Yorktown Heights Vicinity
Westchester County, New York.

Engineer: John B. Jervis

Owner: Originally; New York City Water Board
Presently; Tatic State Parkway Authority.

Significance: The Old Croton Aqueduct is an outstanding example of 19th century civil engineering and was New York City's first municipal water project. The entrance entablature commemorated the opening of the aqueduct and is the only remaining part of the Old Croton Dam above water.

Transmitted by: Daniel Clement, 1984. For further information regarding the Old Croton Aqueduct please refer to NY-108 through NY-120 (HAER).